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## GERMANS HURLED BACK BY BRITISH; FRENCH ADVANCE

Teutons Repulsed While Attempting Five Counter-Attacks in Pozieres Sector.

(By the International News Service.) London, Aug. 7.—Five determined counter-attacks by the Germans were beaten back by the British in the Pozieres sector today, while on both the Somme and Meuse the French continued to make gains.

An entire line of German defenses on a half-mile front from the wood north of the Somme was captured in a spectacular assault by Gen. Foch's troops.

On the Verdun front Gen. Nivelle threw his forces forward in new attacks, in which a further gain was registered south of the Thiaumont work, and more fortified houses in Fleury were taken.

The Germans for more than eighteen hours have been striving desperately to develop a counter-offensive against the British, but all their attempts have met with failure. Preceding the five furious attacks today, numerous attempts were made last night to penetrate the British trenches east of Pozieres. Gen. Haig tonight reports that the English troops hold all the ground gained in yesterday's attacks.

## AUSTRIA WINS LOST GROUND

Recaptures Positions in Counter Stroke—Italians Retaliate by Seizing Hill.

(By the International News Service.) London, Aug. 7.—The first Austrian success on the Italian front since the forced discontinuation of the great Trentino drive is reported by the Vienna war office tonight.

In furious counter-attacks launched by Von Hottendorf's forces against the Italians on Monte Sabotz and Monte San Michel, positions lost in the initial onslaughts of Cardona's men a few days ago were reconquered, and 1,322 prisoners remained in Austrian hands, among them thirty-two officers.

A violent battle is still in progress on the slopes of the two mountains.

The Austrian success, while unexpected in view of the fact that they have been hard pressed for weeks on the whole front, was more than offset by an Italian victory.

The Rome war office announced tonight that nearly the whole of Hill No. 35, in the Montefalco sector, was captured and held against all counter-attacks, the Austrians taking in yesterday's fighting 3,690 prisoners, including 100 officers.

## CANADIAN GIRLS WORRIED.

War Is Killing Off the Eligible Husbands.  
Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 7.—The war has changed the expression on the faces of Canadian women. Today most of them appear worried. Lines are supplanting dainty dimples.

"The reason," said F. N. Bowden, of Calgary, Alberta, "lies in the fact that the eligible husbands are being killed off. Spinsters must inevitably be in store for some of them, and they are very gloomy in consequence."

## FEAR FOR BRITISH CAPTIVES.

Foreign Office Worried Over Troops Captured by Turks.  
London, Aug. 7.—Considerable apprehension has been aroused over the fate of the British captured by the Turks at Kut-el-Amara.

Lord Robert Cecil, of the foreign office, announced in commons today that the American Ambassador at Constantinople had tried to get in touch with the prisoners, but had been unable to do so except in the case of Gen. Townshend, the commander of the Kut garrison.

Quickest Service to Baltimore.  
Every hour on the hour, Baltimore and Ohio, \$1.75 round trip, Saturdays and Sundays, \$1.50.—Adv.

## GOES TO SLEEP IN TUB, FORGETS TO STOP WATER

Special to The Washington Herald.  
New York, Aug. 7.—T. Hampton Bliss, an insurance adjuster of Jacksonville, Fla., tried to even up things with the Weather Man in his apartment at the Hotel Majestic yesterday when he climbed into his bathtub and turned on the cold water.

The last he remembered he was dreaming of chasing polar bears around the North Pole with daggers made of icicles. He felt the ice beneath his feet give way and he began to struggle for his life.

What had happened was told later in the hotel office by Mr. Bliss. Shortly after turning on the cold water he had gone to sleep.

## BATHING SUIT NYMPHS HAVE CHICAGO GAZING

Special to The Washington Herald.  
Chicago, Aug. 7.—Live models—the lives of whom were bathing suits and were exhibited in a special fountain characterized the fall style show of the Chicago Garment Manufacturers' Association, which opened today and will continue all week.

Wholesalers' invitations to buyers to attend the show at Bismarck Gardens dwell particularly upon the group of feminine swimmers in up-to-the-minute bathing costumes. Why the bathing-suit display for fall wear no one knew and none seemed to care. It was a great attraction.

## GO NAKED AND LIVE 1,000 YEARS, HE SAYS

Special to The Washington Herald.  
Philadelphia, Aug. 7.—"If you want to live a thousand years go naked." This bit of advice was distributed in circular form yesterday by Richard Gilbert. The police for some reason or other did not approve of Gilbert's theory of longevity and arrested him.

When arrested Gilbert was distributing his back-to-nature circulars in the neighborhood of Fifty-fourth street and Baltimore avenue. Although fully attired, the prisoner declared that it was unmanly to wear clothes, and altogether against the principle of health. He was sentenced to five days in the county jail.

## KIMONO-CLAD BATHERS DRIVEN OFF BY POLICE

Special to The Washington Herald.  
Chicago, Aug. 7.—Evanston, the home of the great Methodist University, received an awful shock yesterday when a large party of shapely girls from Chicago appeared on Ingleside bathing beach clad only in kimonos.

Excited women who observed the spectacle from their verandas and windows hastily called for the police, who drove the comely young creatures gently but firmly to the shrubbery, where they donned their street clothing.

## NEAR AUTO ACCIDENT SCARES GIRL TO DEATH

Special to The Washington Herald.  
Stroudsburg, Aug. 7.—Mary McGovern, 25 years old, a teacher in the Jersey City public schools, died from heart failure following an automobile accident which occurred on the Milford pike, about four miles from East Stroudsburg, late last evening.

The accident occurred when young Bert Degara attempted to help her steer around a wagon and the sudden turning of the wheel sent the machine into a concrete abutment. None of the occupants received bodily injuries.

## LEAPS TO HER DEATH OFF MANHATTAN BRIDGE

Special to The Washington Herald.  
New York, Aug. 7.—A woman jumped from the south roadway of Manhattan Bridge in Brooklyn at noon today and was crushed on the pavement, 100 feet below, at Water and Adams streets.

The victim was about 40 years old, 5 feet 6 inches in height, and emaciated, weighing not much over a hundred pounds. She was poorly dressed and had a crocheted shawl about her shoulders. Her feet were in carpet slippers.

## EASTERN ARMIES IN DEADLY RACE

Russians and Teutons Engaged in Gigantic Game to Outflank Each Other.

(By the International News Service.) London, Aug. 7.—A race between Russians and Teutons to outflank one another, the Muscovites heading for Kovel and Lemberg, the armies of the Central Empires trying to repeat the great "break through" battle of last fall by a sudden, vigorous thrust eastwards from the Carpathians—that is what the campaign in the east has resolved itself into since the fall of Brody, the northeastern "gate" of the Galician capital.

Indications that the situation was taking on this shape have accumulated during the last fortnight. Today's official statements from Petrograd, Berlin and Vienna remove the last doubts.

The race is in full swing. It is marked by bitter battles before Kovel, in the northeastern and southeastern corners of Galicia, and in the Carpathian foothills on the Pruth. Both sides made headway toward their main objectives during the past twenty-four hours, the Russians toward Kovel and Lemberg, the Teutons in their counter offensive in the Carpathians.

The Russians captured further strongly fortified Teuton positions on the Grabarka and Sereth rivers south of Brody, taking in yesterday's fighting alone 2,103 prisoners, including thirteen officers.

On the Stokhod, near Zaresze, they captured a section of German trenches without firing a shot and took 209 men and twelve officers prisoners.

This success brings them slightly closer to Kovel.

The Austro-German forces captured the heights of Plask and Dereskovata, on the Tchernoi-Chernomoz, on the Carpathians south of the town of Vorokhta.

## 'TRAITOR,' YELL ANGRY GUARDS

Threats of Arrest Necessary to Restrain Soldiers at Socialist Meeting.

"What did you do for your country?" The question was put to Julian Pierce, a socialist, speaking at Eighth street and Pennsylvania avenue last night, by a man in a soldier's uniform. It had been announced that the meeting was open to questions.

As an answer the speaker launched into a lengthy and uncompromising description of his opinion of a National Guardsman.

This was resented by the soldier, who proved to be a man from Camp Ordway. He made some remarks in return which further aroused the speaker. Other uniformed men spoke up and a free-for-all discussion ensued.

An officer escorted the soldiers who were causing the disturbance to the edge of the crowd, others joined in, and shouts of "traitor" were heard above the applause of the audience which was greeting the remarks of the speaker.

The two officers had a busy time for a while and nearly a dozen soldiers were present, among them several commissioned officers.

Threats of arrest served to quiet the soldiers and the meeting was resumed.

## HAIRCUTS FREE ON BORDER.

New York Guardsmen Get Heads Shaved with Horse Clippers.  
Houston, Tex., Aug. 7.—Houston today claims the long-distance hospitality championship.

A company of New York National Guardsmen was passing a fire station during an exercise stroll while firemen were shearing a horse with electric clippers. One of the Guardsmen, whose head was hot beneath a heavy thatch, broke ranks and asked for a haircut. Not only was he accommodated, but he was a score of his fellow-militiamen—and it didn't cost 'em a cent.

**BIG BASS CAUGHT BY HAND.**  
Boys Wade Into Pond and Cut Off Its Retreat.  
Pottsville, Pa., Aug. 7.—William Kantner and Harold Meek, aged 11 and 12, of Schuylkill Haven, caught a 10-pound bass at the Red Pond yesterday.

## Germany Loses 76,248 Officers; 2,883,993 Men

(International News Service.) Geneva, Aug. 7.—Germany has lost 76,248 officers and 2,883,993 men in killed, wounded, and missing, according to the 570th official casualty list just issued. The totals are:

Officers—Killed, 25,984; wounded, 45,355; missing, 4,909.  
Privates—Killed, 732,890; wounded, 1,817,693; missing, 333,410.

## 8-HOUR DAY OR WALK-OUT

Trainmen Today Will Demand Better Working Conditions. Alternative Is Strike.

(By the International News Service.) New York, Aug. 7.—Armed with a practically unanimous vote from 400,000 railway trainmen, heads of the four railway employees brotherhoods will meet the railroad managers tomorrow to demand again the eight-hour day.

The alternative "big four" will lay on the table will be a nationwide strike, tying up every freight and passenger train in the United States.

The counting of the strike vote was completed late today at the Broadway Central Hotel, and although no announcement was made, it is known the members of the four great brotherhoods voted almost unanimously to strike if the eight-hour day is not granted. The exact vote will be revealed to the railway representatives. Union officials today refused to be quoted on possible action other than to say they cannot now back down if they wish.

"With the tremendous vote behind us we can only stand for the shorter hours, pay for overtime, and better conditions we have demanded," said one leader.

No indication of the course to be followed by the railroads could be obtained. Their representatives were in conference with Ellisha Lee, chairman of their conference committee, most of the day at Mr. Lee's offices in the Grand Central Terminal Building.

## GOTHAM CAR STRIKE ENDS

New York Railways Company Capitulates, Employees Winning Demands.

(By the International News Service.) New York, Aug. 7.—The street railroads strike came to an end tonight. The New York Railways Company capitulated. The result is an overwhelming victory for the men.

The company did not agree to recognize the union. But they conceded the "legal and moral" right of the men to organize. And while they did not declare their recognition of the union, they stipulated that they "will receive and treat with a committee of the employees upon any and all questions." The company agrees, moreover, to interfere in no way with the selection of any committee to represent the employees.

The terms of agreement will, it is declared unreservedly, be accepted by the Second Avenue (the Blue Line) and the Queens and Staten Island lines. This acceptance will likely come to pass tomorrow.

The Third Avenue Railroad Company agreed late tonight to ratify the same terms of agreement. There remains now nothing but to wait for a similar outbreak in the ranks of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company employees. It is believed that the men across the bridge will seek the same victory as their Manhattan brethren have gained.

The terms of settlement are embodied in the letter of Theodore P. Shonts to Mayor Mitchell. The letter was written Sunday. It was virtually a rehearsal of the demands of the men as set forth by the union.

## STRIKERS BATTLE POLICE.

One Dead and Many Injured in Massachusetts Rioting.  
Barre, Mass., Aug. 7.—A pitched battle was fought here today between fifteen special policemen doing guard duty in the strike now in the Barre Wool Combining Company and more than 100 strikers, their wives, and children, resulting in the death of one person, and probable fatal injury of a police officer, and more or less serious injury of more than a score of others.

**Germans Sink Two Ships.**  
London, Aug. 7.—Lloyds report the sinking of the British steamship *Spiral* and the Norwegian steamer *Aranda* by German submarines.

## BATTERY TAKES FOND FAREWELL

Second to Leave Camp Ordway for Bisbee—Colored Recruits Also Entrain.

Eight officers and 269 men of the District militia, the second quota of District troops to leave for the border, entrained last night for Bisbee, Ariz. At 7:30 o'clock the mixed train carrying Battery B and the recruits of the First Separate Battalion pulled out of the Rosslyn yards, while a crowd of several thousand people waved farewells.

The departure from Camp Ordway was not marked by ceremonies. When, at about 5 o'clock, the camp site of Battery B was cleared of tents and kitchen shack, assembly was blown and the battery, under command of Capt. George Wilson, marched through Fort Meyer to the train. The detachment of 136 colored recruits followed the artillerymen. There were no speeches or a review.

Brig. Gen. William E. Harvey and his staff watched the men file into the tourist sleepers and wished the officers luck. Capt. Horace Hobbs, U. S. A., mustering officer, and Capt. J. C. Ferris, U. S. A., field artillery instructor, saw that the entrainment was carried out properly.

A few minutes before the train was ready to pull out, Sergt. Austin J. Hall, who had that morning been transferred to Battery A from Battery B, rushed up to Brig. Gen. Harvey, and asked that he be allowed to go with Battery B. Gen. Harvey yielded, and when the train left, Sergt. Hall, although his equipment consisted of only the uniform he wore, was standing on the platform waving farewell. Sergt. Hall had applied for discharge on account of dependents, but at the last moment found that his family could spare him.

Long before the troops arrived at the

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## AGREE ON BIG ARMY MEASURE

\$267,590,000 Appropriation for Preparedness Wins Approval of Conferees.

The bill for the support of the army as finally agreed to in conference yesterday carries a total appropriation of \$267,590,000.

The House allowed only \$182,303,000. The Senate's appropriation of \$123,286,696 for flying machines remains in the bill. Of this sum, \$90,000 is available to enable the President to call into service for instruction for about six months suitable reserve officers and men to supply the country with an efficient reserve of flying men.

Provision for foreign pay is eliminated unless the men are actually engaged outside the border.

Senate appropriation of \$4,300,000 for civilian military training camps is reduced to \$2,000,000, as provided by the House. Provisions for automatic machine rifles for the National Guard is fixed at \$4,000,000, being largely in excess of House allowances.

The Senate provision giving the President authority to take control of any system of transportation in time of war is retained. The appropriation of \$2,000,000 for the support of dependent families of the National Guard also remains in the bill with minor modifications. La Follette's amendment prohibiting the enlistment of boys under 21 without the consent of parents or guardians and directing their discharge, was struck from the bill.

La Follette is expected to fight this action bitterly.

## PRISONER KILLS SHERIFF.

Handcuffed Negro Knocks Officer Down and Shoots Him.  
Seymour, Tex., Aug. 7.—W. L. Ellis, sheriff of Baylor County, was knocked down near here today by a blow from the handcuffed fist of "Steve" Brown, a negro he had arrested, and then shot with his own revolver, which the negro snatched from him.

The sheriff died two hours later. Brown was overtaken by a mob and shot to death.

## WADING COSTS LIVES OF FOUR.

Men Drown Trying to Save Women Who Fall Into Hole.  
Mount Vernon, Ohio, Aug. 7.—When wading in the Kokosing river today, Mrs. Lester Mowery, of Danville, and Mrs. Don Graven, of Akron, suddenly fell into a hole eight feet deep.

Mr. Mowery and Isaac Parsons, of Glenmont, rushed to their rescue. Both the women and the men trying to save them were drowned.

## PLANS MEMORIAL TO MORRIS.

House Resolution Provides Shaft to Financier of Revolution.  
A \$50,000 monument to Robert Morris to be erected in the District of Columbia was provided in a resolution introduced by Representative Garland yesterday.

## MILDEWED PIES EATEN BY BALL TEAM, 8 SICK

Special to The Washington Herald.  
Baltimore, Aug. 7.—Mildewed pies and impure water were given this morning as a possible solution for the infection of the members of the baseball team of Mount Clare shops, of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

It was stated this morning by one who accompanied the team to Cumberland two weeks ago that the members of the team had purchased pies from an eating house and that the same were mildewed, but being the only thing that the men could find to eat, they had consumed the pies.

In addition to this it is said that the water furnished the men from tanks at the ball field was anything but pure and this in connection with the spoiled pies is thought to have brought on typhoid fever, which eight of the men developed.

## WILSON'S HOROSCOPE HOLDS FIRST PLACE

Special to The Washington Herald.  
Langhorne, Pa., Aug. 7.—An astrologer here, who is also a leading national scientist, says that Wilson's horoscope is better than Hughes'.

"Wilson was born on December 28, 1856, at 11:50 p. m., at Staunton, Va.," says this astrologer.

"The fact that Wilson was born in Capricorn, with the moon in Capricorn," says the astrologer, "proves that Wilson's pre-natal months were influenced by well-regulated, successful and absorbing business pursuits on the part of Wilson's parents. Therefore Wilson has a clear, businesslike, active brain and magnificent continuity of purpose to carry forward whatever he begins."

## SING "ANGEL OF PEACE," WINGS FLAP, 20 FAINT

Special to The Washington Herald.  
Madison, Wis., Aug. 7.—The congregation of the Presbyterian Church was thrown into a frenzy of terror as it sat at its evening service, softly singing "The Angel of Peace" in a darkened auditorium, when a whirl of wings was heard and a huge shadow of a winged ghost swooped back and forth across a lighted screen in front of the audience.

As the music swelled it flew about distractedly, the singing died away into a sort of moan, and the big auditorium took on a weird silence as the women cowered in terror in their seats and covered their faces. Twenty fainted.

## WOODED AND WON IN 48 HOURS AT SEA RESORT

Special to The Washington Herald.  
Baltimore, Aug. 7.—Estelle Herman, of this city, and Harry Siskin, of West Palm Beach, Fla., have hung up a new record in Atlantic City for rapid courtship, for the whole affair, 'tis said, lasted only from Friday night to Sunday. Here's how it happened:

"Siskin met Miss Herman at a beach party Friday night. As they were both staying at the Lorraine it was not difficult for him to see her rather frequently on Saturday, and that he did. He left her for a short time later in the afternoon to pay a visit to the City Hall. Yesterday they went to the home of the Rev. Dr. Henry M. Fisher, where they were married."

## WORKS IN ICEHOUSE, HUMIDITY 'GETS' HIM

Special to The Washington Herald.  
Baltimore, Aug. 7.—Although working in a temperature that hovered near the freezing point, James Johnston, 330 South Gilmer street, 7 years old, was overcome by the humidity, so doctors at the Franklin Square Hospital said.

He fell to the floor of the icehouse of the American Ice Company, Franklin and Pulaski streets, this morning.

Johnston had just left one of the freezing rooms and was standing on an outside platform when he toppled to the floor.

## KIDNAPPED BRIDGROOM RESCUED BY POLICEMEN

Special to The Washington Herald.  
Spokane, Wash., Aug. 7.—Nine employees of a lumber company were placed under arrest for kidnapping Bernard Peterson, a fellow-employee, who had just married. They had torn Peterson from the side of his bride and rushed him nineteen miles to Mead, Wash., in a jitney bus.

The bride hysterically appealed to the police and several plain-clothes men arrested the party returning from Mead without the bridegroom. The latter was found on the road steadily trying to walk back to his bride. The police restored him to his new family circle at midnight.

## FOUR AUTO'S KIDNAP WOMAN; TRACE FOUND

Special to The Washington Herald.  
Morestown, N. J., Aug. 7.—The police of Morestown have notified the authorities of every town south of Trenton that a woman was placed in an automobile about 2 o'clock in the morning at Main street and Stanwick avenue, Morestown, and carried off against her will, and while she was crying for assistance. There were four men in the automobile.

William Jones, station agent at Stanwick, saw the men force the woman into a rear seat of the car, and when the party went by the home of Collins Rogers, she was screaming, "Help! Murder!"

## INTERVENTION IN MEXICO IMPLIED BY HUGHES' TONE

G. O. P. Candidate Pledges Himself to Safeguarding of All American Lives.

## NOT FOR MILITARISM

Former Justice Says He's Strongly Determined, However, on Firm Policy.

(By the International News Service.) Detroit, Mich., Aug. 7.—"There is not a particle of militarism in my composition, but there is a sturdy determination, if I am put in a place of executive responsibility representing all the American people, to see to it, and that is my purpose, that America's rights are safeguarded, and that America's name in administration, in policy, and in execution be honored throughout the world."

In these words Charles Evans Hughes tonight concluded a speech in which he practically promised intervention in Mexico if elected to the Presidency and if the situation does not mend across the border.

In what was probably the most spectacular day of his career, Mr. Hughes rounded into campaign form over night and started off his battle for the Presidency with a bang. And Detroit opened arms to him. Perhaps, indeed, it was the warmth of the Detroit welcome which inspired the efforts of the candidate to rise to the situation. He was warm, genial, epigrammatic, and forceful. He

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## MEN DESERT FROM CAMP

Two Guardsmen Take French Leave From Battery B. One Arrested.

Two men have taken "French leave" from Battery B, of the District militia. It was made known at Camp Ordway yesterday. These men did not want to go with the battery to the border, and the battery left without them last night.

One of the men has been apprehended, but the other still is at large. The Washington police have not been instructed to look out for any Battery B men, although they have been asked to arrest several other militiamen missing from Camp Ordway.

The two men who have quit Battery B are not technically deserters, as they have been away from the camp less than nine days.

The police were asked last night to look out for and arrest Frank Hyman and Ralph Chamberlain, of Company D, who are charged with being unlawfully absent without leave from Company D at Camp Ordway. The police also have been asked to look out for James Price, charged with deserting from Company D. Other men reported missing from Camp Ordway are Frank P. Chaney, Frank Smith, and William Fletcher.

Edward McKenna, 35, was arrested yesterday because of unlawful absence without leave from Company B of the District militia. He was turned over to Capt. Beckstein last night.

## ROADS AND SWITCHMEN DECIDE TO ARBITRATE

G. W. W. Hanger, member of the Federal Board of Mediation and Conciliation, wired Commissioner William L. Chambers yesterday that the commission of railway managers and the international president of the Switchmen's Union would sign immediately an agreement to arbitrate under the Federal law.

The decision of the switchmen and railroads was regarded here as forecasting the probable action of the "Big Four" brotherhoods, representing the engineers, firemen, trainmen and conductors of the 25 railway systems in the United States, and the committee of railroad managers. Commissioner Chambers and the representatives of the telegraphers of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad met yesterday in an effort to adjust the differences between the men and road. The railroad's representatives will present their side of the controversy to Judge Chambers today.

## 809 WALK WAY THROUGH YALE.

Dependent Students Earned \$250,000 in Nine Months.  
New Haven, Conn., Aug. 7.—Students who worked their way through Yale University—80 of them during the past college year—did everything from acting as assistants to the Bulgarian Minister to exterminating rats, according to the annual report of the self-help bureau, issued today.

The students dependent upon their own resources earned \$250,000 during the nine school months.

\$2.00—Per Mar and Return—\$2.00.  
\$3.00 a m. August 10, Baltimore and Ohio, account L. O. O. F. reunion. Returning leave Feb. 7:45 p. m.—Adv.